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## Traffic Signal Modernization at Irving Park Road and Harlem Avenue

**CHICAGO** – The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) announced that lane closures will take place at the intersection of Irving Park Road (Illinois 19) and Harlem Avenue, in Chicago, for traffic signal modernization, beginning, weather permitting, Wednesday, April 27.

In order to complete the work, daily lane closures will occur on Irving Park Road and Harlem Avenue near the intersection.

The scope of the project consists of the installation of new traffic signals, concrete foundation and ADA compliant walkways and ramps.

The project is expected to be completed in Fall 2016. Disruption to businesses is expected to be minimal while work is in progress.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

Click <u>here</u> to find details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at <u>www.travelmidwest.com</u>